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## **Media Advisory**

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## Larned State Hospital to Celebrate 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

TOPEKA – Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services (KDADS) Secretary Shawn Sullivan will join Larned State Hospital (LSH) Superintendent Dr. Tom Kinlen this Thursday to mark and observe the hospital's 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

Dr. Kinlen will introduce special guests in attendance before remarks by KDADS Secretary Sullivan and the presentation of the Governor's signed event proclamation.

A celebration will follow in the LSH auditorium and LSH staff will be giving tours of the Lee Building beginning at 2:30 p.m. that day.

## **Event: Larned State Hospital 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration**

WHO: LSH Superintendent Dr. Tom Kinlen, KDADS Secretary Shawn Sullivan

**WHEN**: Thursday, April 17, 2014, 2 p.m.

WHERE: Larned State Hospital, 1301 Ks Hwy 264, Larned

LSH is the largest psychiatric facility in the state, serving the western two-thirds of Kansas. It is accredited by The Joint Commission and certified by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services.

This event is open to the media. Please contact Angela de Rocha with any questions, 785-806-7482.